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PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS

Pending claims 1-22 are presented for ease of reference, but no claim is amended.

1. (Previously Presented) A method for analyzing a program, comprising the steps of:

logging a plurality of stack traces and respective tags in a log file at respective points during execution of the program; and

recording within the log file one or more of the tags as one or more marked tags.

- 2. (Original) The method according to claim 1, further comprising the step of: producing a report based on the log file.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 2, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

identifying one or more of the stack traces that are associated with any of the one or more tags marked; and

producing the report based on the identified one or more of the stack traces.

4. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 2, wherein producing the report includes:

identifying a last stack trace that is associated with one of the one or more marked tags; and producing the report based on the identified last stack trace.

5. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein:

the tags indicate respective addresses of allocated objects; and

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the one or more marked tags indicate one or more respective addresses of migrated objects.

6. (Previously Presented) A method for producing a diagnostic report for a program, comprising the steps of:

accessing a log file comprising a list of stack traces and respective tags at associated points during execution of the program and comprising one or more marked tags; and producing the diagnostic report based on the log file.

7. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

identifying one or more of the stack traces that are associated with any of the one or more marked tags; and

producing the report based on the identified one or more of the stack traces.

8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein producing the report includes:

identifying a last stack trace that is associated with one of the one or more marked tags; and producing the report based on the identified last stack trace.

9. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein:

the tags indicate respective addresses of allocated objects; and

the one or more marked tags indicate one or more respective addresses of migrated objects.

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10. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable medium bearing instructions for analyzing a program, said instructions being arranged to cause one or more processors upon execution thereby to perform the steps of:

logging a plurality of stack traces and respective tags in a log file at respective points during execution of the program; and

recording within the log file one or more of the tags as one or more marked tags.

11. (Original) The computer-readable medium according to claim 10, further bearing instructions for performing the step of:

producing a report based on the log file.

12. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 11, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

identifying one or more of the stack traces that are associated with any of the one or more marked tags; and

producing the report based on the identified one or more of the stack traces.

13. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 11, wherein producing the report includes:

identifying a last stack trace that is associated with one of the one or more marked tags; and producing the report based on the identified last stack trace.

14. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 10, wherein: the tags indicate respective addresses of allocated objects; and

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the one or more marked tags indicate one or more respective addresses of migrated objects.

15. (Previously Presented) A computer-readable medium bearing instructions for producing a diagnostic report for a program, said instructions being arranged to cause one or more processors upon execution thereby to perform the steps of:

accessing a log file comprising a list of stack traces and respective tags at associated points during execution of the program and comprising one or more marked tags; and producing the diagnostic report based on the log file.

16. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 15, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

identifying one or more of the stack traces that are associated with any of the one or more marked tags; and

producing the report based on the identified one or more of the stack traces.

17. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 15, wherein producing the report includes:

identifying a last stack trace that is associated with one of the one or more marked_tags; and producing the report based on the identified last stack trace.

18. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 15, wherein: the tags indicate respective addresses of allocated objects; and the one or more marked tags indicate one or more respective addresses of migrated objects.

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19. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 4, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

processing the log file from the end backward until the beginning.

20. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 8, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

processing the log file from the end backward until the beginning.

21. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 13, wherein the step of producing the report includes:

processing the log file from the end backward until the beginning.

22. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium according to claim 17, wherein the step of producing the report include:

processing the log file from the end backward until the beginning.